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HOUSE BILL 3301
By Montgomery

AN ACT to authorize an advisory referendum relative to zoning in Sevier County.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. The Sevier County Commission may, by resolution, direct the County Election Commission to conduct an advisory, nonbinding referendum of the voters of Sevier County, Tennessee. Any such referendum must be conducted concurrently with the upcoming regular November election, and the question on the ballot of such election shall be substantially as follows:

Should the Sevier County Commission adopt a zoning plan to regulate those portions of Sevier County which lie outside of Sevierville, Gatlinburg, Pigeon Forge and Pittman Center?

Yes _____

No _____

The County Commission may place a brief statement of the purpose of the referendum immediately preceding the question on the ballot; however, any such statement may not exceed two hundred (200) words.

SECTION 2. This act shall have no effect unless it is approved by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the Sevier County Commission. Its approval or nonapproval shall be proclaimed by the presiding officer of the commission and certified to the secretary of state.

SECTION 3. For the purpose of approving or rejecting the provisions of this act, it shall be effective upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it. For all other purposes, it shall become effective as provided in Section 2.